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Notes and Comment

Sixteen cent cotton ought to make good times in the cotton belt.

When! Thirteen inches of snow at Jackson. That ought to hold the Legislature for awhile.

The Indianapolis post office will be reopened. Roosevelt has appointed a white man to be postmaster.

The price of radium has come down to \$350,000 an ounce. The poorest can now have all they need.

Professor Langley, who has spent \$200,000 of government money without any law for it in making a flying machine that will only dive like a duck, is being violently seel-hauled by Congress for his folly.

The report of the railroad commission shows that in the last two years in Mississippi 213 persons were killed on railroads and 834 injured. Five of the killed were passengers, 68 were employees and 127 were trespassers.

Before the Social Economics Club of Chicago (exclusively women) Mrs. Edward A. Bigelow said the way to manage a husband was "feed the brute plenty of well cooked food and forgive him." She gave no hint how to manage wives, however.

The witty Boston Pilot regrets that the New York Sun "decided to the use of slang when it made itself legally liable for damages" by remarking that a certain professor was "off his nut." The editor wonders why the Sun didn't politely substitute the courteous suggestion that the learned gentleman had "bits in his belly." There can be no doubt that this is a higher form of critical allusion than "off his nut."

Medical men say that a cold is the result of changing suddenly from one temperature to another. Those who live in overheated houses are most susceptible to colds, and have to bundle up with the greatest care when they go out into the cold. One ever saw a tepee Indian with a cold or a cough. Indians never die of consumption until they commenced to live in houses like white men. Camp life is recommended for all people who are afflicted with pulmonary complaints, and in such a life colds are rarely contracted.

Somebody who has been computing the quantity of the liquids consumed by the American people within a twelve month has found that we drank last year enough tea, coffee, wine, beer, liquors and other beverages to cover an area of land two miles square to a depth of ten feet—a lake large enough, it was suggested, to float several navies the size of our own. The amount of alcoholic beverages alone which were necessary to satisfy the national thirst during this period would fill a canal 100 miles long, 100 feet wide and 10 feet.

Coming through the mails are appearing the new two cent stamps, to be used within a year. When the new series of stamps was issued early in 1903, the two cent one did not suit. It was known as the flag stamp, because a draped flag appeared around the frame work, in which was the head of the father of his country. But the father had a very red nose, so his picture did not look good. So a change was decided upon, and as the result the new stamps are now out and coming through the mails. The new stamp is the same size and shape as the old one, but is a deeper shade of carmine. The head of Washington is similar, but a trifle larger, and the nose is not as red as before. The flag is gone from the stamp in its draped effect, but appears as a shield with the stars above and the stripes running down the stamp.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cough, No Pain. Price 25 cents.

Mississippi's Public Schools.

The Meridian Star has this to say about the educational interests of the State: The educational system of Mississippi is one of the most vital questions before the Legislature.

While we have many defects in our school system, Mississippi ranks high among her sister States in the amount spent on public education. It is a fact not generally known that she stands next to Massachusetts, considering population and the assessed valuation of property. This is remarkable when we bear in mind the fact that more than one-half of her people are negroes, who pay no taxes.

The amount spent annually by Mississippi for public schools is \$1,250,000. The number of educable children, white and black is 329,311. According to the report of Supt. Whitefield 6557 teachers are employed in the schools, of whom 3345 are white and 3012 are negroes. Of this number 4045 are women and 2512 are men. The average salaries paid are \$30.64 per month for whites and \$19.39 per month for negro teachers.

The fight that is being made by the educators of the State for improvements in the school system has attracted wide attention and much interest is manifested among the people. Among the many things suggested are longer terms in the rural schools, uniform text books, large libraries for counties for school purposes, better salaries for teachers, a State normal library for schools, better school houses and a revision of the examination laws.

Hon. W. D. Ballard, member of the lower House of the Legislature from Jackson county, has taken the lead in the movement to induce the Legislature to accept the donation of Beauvoir, the old home of Jefferson Davis.

Based by the organization of \$10,000, and Mr. Ballard expects that the property is easily worth \$100,000 in its present shape, at least. A few years hence will be worth \$175,000. The sentiment of the people is almost unanimous in favor of the adoption of the place by the State as a home for indigent ex-convicts, and a favorable report on the subject is expected in the House next week.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you but, cure. 25c, at Ocean Springs Drug Store.

Cincinnati Enquirer: The pastor of a colored church in Pennsylvania says if the negro wants to progress he must give up cake walking. Oh, no; cake walking is a useful occupation. It is graceful and amusing, and the world must be entertained. And it is less frivolous than many things white people do. It is downright work, too, and it requires intelligence and experience. Long live the cake walk.

Rip Van Winkle looked about in a dazed manner.

"And are they all gone?" he faltered tearfully.

"No," replied the villagers, consolingly. "Patti is still giving a far better performance."

Shouting with joy at the discovery that one thing at least, was unchanged by the lapse of years, he hastened to don his spurs clothes. Clipped.

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Vardamanisms.

Too much authority and power can not be reposed in the people.

Every citizen should understand and with his ballot the laws of the land are written.

Responsibility produces confidence and capacity.

Experience is no good unless it makes him wiser and better.

As who hates hurts himself.

The State has the right to demand from every citizen the best there is in him.

The important fact is overlooked that the only real wealth is the labor of man.

One of the most rational and profitable duties of a free government is to educate its children.

If the State will place at the door of every citizen a sign that says:

"The sturdy boys and girls of the rural districts of Mississippi need only the sunlight of an opportunity to awaken sleeping genius."—Yazoo Sentinel.

After Another Appropriation.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Chairman Burton of the Rivers and Harbors committee, at the request of Representative Bowers, has agreed to give a hearing to the advocates of the project looking to the improvement of the Pascagoula river.

Wonderful Nerve.

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County News Notes.

Snap Shots.

Every man's account has a hole in it.

Surgery affords the only cure for corruption.

A man who has good backing uses a stick only for offensive operations.

Lady managers as soon as they are organized into a board get into deep water.

Memory is not so much to be blamed as the character of the freight.

A brilliant and fascinating woman is one who keeps in touch with the men.

Some women in exquisite gowns, controlled by desire to appear to the best advantage, are quick to turn their backs on people.

A man who struggles to keep his troubles to himself is called an optimist.

One trouble about being a member of the city council or the board of supervisors is to look worthy of it.

A real luxury is anything we can't afford.

A cold dinner is better than a hot word.

The rising inflation has sent many a man to drink.

Some lawyers are such donkeys that they get their living by conveying.

The man who boasts of his size will show his fist.

Dirt has a poor chance in the absence of cleanliness.

Every woman who has a small place in her head for flattery.

Women who do not expect their husbands to tell them the truth escape no disappointments.

Some women can look sweet when they are dusting, but they are the women whom it was addressed to.

It is only once in a while that a man wrestles with a financial problem without being thrown.

Every church should have a house cleaning now and then, for there is no place that is secure against germs.

If everybody could sing who thinks he can the world would be full of music.

The man who is forced to express a preference generally lies about it.

If it is a prayer meeting the women are reserved, but if it is a card party they give free expression to their feelings.

If a man is going to law the safest thing for him is to hunt a lawyer who has more than he can do.

The town of Moundville, Ala., was totally destroyed by a tornado which swept over the state last Thursday night, and about forty people were killed, and sixty-five injured, several of whom are expected to die.

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When you see a man refusing honest work because it is not just in his line, while his wife and kids are objects of charity.

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When a man deliberately does things which will hurt his health and reputation because he thinks he is having a good time.

When you hear a man remark that he advertises just to help out the editor."—Biloxi's Democrat.

NOTICE.

A competitive examination for the purpose of selecting an appointment as Cadet to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, will be held at Hattiesburg, Miss., Monday the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1904.

Rev. E. J. Carrie, Supt. of Education of Perry county, Mississippi, Prof. W. L. Thames, Principal of the Poplarville High School, and Prof. F. B. Woodley, Supt. of the Hattiesburg Public Schools, will constitute the examining Board.

The applicant receiving the highest marks in the examination will be appointed.

All candidates must, at the time of their examination for admission be between the ages of sixteen and twenty years. A candidate is eligible for appointment on the day he becomes sixteen, and is ineligible on the day he becomes twenty years of age.

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